
June 7, 2012

101 - NORTH OF THREE FORKS - NORTH

Clarification:

Submitted: Fri, 25-May-2010 09:33 MDT

The quantity for Special Borrow - Neat Line shown in the Schedule of Items is incorrect. The correct Quantity is 62,998.0 CUYD. This will be changed by addenda.

Clarification:

Submitted: Thu, 31-May-2012 10:25

An Addendum has been posted for this project.

Please click on the following link to access the information. [ADDENDUM](#)

To download the addendum bid file, click here. [BID FILES](#)

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Submitted: Thu, 17-May-2012 12:16 MDT

Company: Macon Supply

Contact: Chuck Eskro

Question:

Is your Geotextile Stabilization required to be high or moderate survivability?

Answer:

Submitted: Thu, 17-May-2012 13:38 MDT

The requirements for Stabilization Geotextile can be found in Section 716.03 of the Specifications.

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Submitted: Tue, 22-May-2012 11:50 MDT

Company: Quality Landscape Seeding, Inc.

Contact: Lisa M. Read, PE

Question:

There is not a bid item for fertilize area no. 2, even though there is a specification in the seeding special provisions.

Could you please confirm whether fertilizer is required for area no. 2?

Also, regarding the erosion control mat, item

no. 622-010-021, where is this required on the plan, and what is the specification required? Thank you for your time.

Answer:

Submitted: Tue, 22-May-2012 15:35 MDT

Seeding Special Provision:

Fertilizer Application calls to fertilize area no. 1; areas 2 & 3 are not fertilized.

Erosion Control Mat:

The plans & cross sections call for erosion control mat from STA 73+50 RT to STA 76+50 RT. It has also been drawn

in the plans and cross sections. Standard Specification 713.12 provides the specifications for the mat.

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Submitted: Fri, 25-May-2012 09:00 MDT

Company: Helena Sand & Gravel, Inc.

Contact: Ken Frost

Question:

Could you post the Geo Pac Files?

Answer:

Submitted: Fri. 25-May-2012 12:25 MDT

The design files for the requested project are posted on the MDT FTP site for your use at:

[GEOPAK FILES](#)

The requested files do not represent the staked project, but are only design files. The Department cannot guarantee the accuracy of the electronic data, particularly as it may be called up by your computer, nor does any data in these files supersede the data in the contract documents.

In addition, the Department will not make any revisions to the electronic files pertaining to the staked project, change ordered work, or changes that are made during construction to fit field conditions.

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Submitted: Tue, 29-May-2012 09:28 MDT

Company: Knife River - Belgrade

Contact: Josh Walter

Question:

The design files posted for the project don't have the GPK file. Please post the GPK file so we can convert the cross sections.

Thanks, Josh

Answer:

Submitted: Tue, 29-May-2012 10:02 MDT

The .GPK file is now available in the linked folder. [GEOPAK FILES](#)

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Submitted: Tue, 29-May-2012 12:03 MDT

Company: Quality Landscape Seeding, Inc.

Contact: Lisa M. Read, PE

Question:

Regarding your response for the ECB of spec 713.12, can you please confirm which section you desire?

We will need 713.12.xx.xx, for example. Thank you for your time.

Answer:

Submitted: Tue, 29-May-2012 14:51 MDT

Use the same 70% Straw/30% Coconut blanket in the ditch from Sta. 73+50 to Sta. 76+50 RT as required for seeding. Refer to the Straw/Coconut blanket description under Mulch Requirements in the Seeding Special Provision.

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Submitted: Wed, 30-May-2012 14:31 MDT

Company: Cretex

Contact: Mike Pardy

Question:

Note 2 on the RCB Detail sheet calls for 2 - 1" threaded Tie bolts to be placed thru the walls of adjoining box culvert sections. Due to normal variations in manufacturing tolerances, subgrade preparation, joint growth, joint closure, and contractors installation methods, it is certain that there will be holes that will not align in the field during installation. Would it be acceptable to instead, provide Galvanized hidden tie bolts on the inside face of the box walls across the joints in each box along the common wall? This would greatly simplify the contractors installation.

Answer:

Submitted: Wed. 30-May-2012 15:51 MDT

What the Contractor is proposing in the question above would be acceptable.

102 - NORTH OF BILLINGS - NORTH & LAUREL - SOUTH

Clarification:

Submitted: Fri. 11-May-2012 13:12 MDT

The attached Special Provision is hereby been added to this contract.

SPECIAL PROVISION

No Questions at this time.

103 - BELL CROSSING - N & S & STEVENSVILLE - SOUTH

No Questions at this time.

104 - FAIRVIEW INTERSECTION IMPRVMTS

No Questions at this time.

105 - JCT HWY 141 - EAST

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Submitted: Thu, 17-May-2012 12:57 MDT

Company: Pavement Maintenance Solutions, Inc.

Contact: Chris Rasmussen

Question:

Special Condition 10 Disposal of Excess Material clearly states that all excess cover material will be picked up and disposed of off site.

1. Has the Engineers Estimate been adjusted to reflect this additional cost?
2. Is MDT Maintenance interested in the excess cover material?

3.Can the excess material be disposed of at the MDT Lincoln Yard or the old gravel west of the west connection.

The old gravel pit is currently being utilized as a disposal site.

4. Is the MDT Maintenance Yard west of Lincoln available as a cover material stockpile site for the project?

Answer:

Submitted: Fri. 18-May-2012 8:40 MDT

1. The engineer's estimate total will be read publicly at the time of bid opening and also posted on-line after the bid letting. The engineer's estimate by individual bid item is not published until after contract award.

2. No

3. No. Excess cover and sanding material must be disposed of per the special provision requirements.

4. Some stockpiling of material may be allowed depending on availability of space. The successful bidder will need to contact Harry Barnett at 454-5880 to coordinate location and availability of room for stockpiles at the Lincoln maintenance yard.